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Attorney Docket Number 09669/004001

First Named Inventor Dan BUTNARU

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Application Number 09 / 889, 524

Filing Date July 18, 2001

Group Art Unit

Examiner Name

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

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METHOD FOR SECURE DOWNLOADING DATA BETWEEN SECURITY UNITS.

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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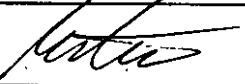
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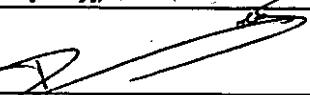
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